



Ed Trickett

Sunday, November 17 • 3 pm

Ed Trickett might best be described as a song interpreter. He has been described as a singer's singer, with the ability to take a song, get to the heart of it, and relay it with the utmost beauty to his audience, all with the tasteful accompaniment of 6 & 12-string guitars and the hammered dulcimer. Trickett performed for many years with **Gordon Bok** and **Ann Mayo Muir** as a trio (*Bok, Muir and Trickett*), and played a central role in swaps and song circles among

traditional musicians (the Golden Ring, Folk Legacy Records). When he's singing solo he performs traditional songs from the English-speaking world, the American songbook of great songwriters, and also the finest songs written by modern songsters who write in a traditional style. This concert serves as a homecoming, as Ed is a DC native and was for a time as a professor of psychology at the University of Maryland. Church of the Ascension (Parish Hall), 633 Sligo Ave, 20910. \$10 (members), \$20 (nonmembers). Note the early time—concert begins at 3 pm.

FSGW Co-sponsored Alexandria After Work

Alexandria VA

INÃ

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 8 • 6 PM

INÃ plays, interprets, and reinterprets music of the African diaspora specifically through the traditional musics of Cuba and Brazil. Led by percussionist, arranger, and bandleader Julian Loida, **INÃ** engage their audience with vocal harmonies, dancing, and drumming. Co-sponsored by the Office of Historic Alexandria and FSGW, this is part of the Alexandria After Work concert series held in the heart of Old Town Alexandria at 6 pm on second Fridays. Take the free trolley that runs every 15 minutes from King Street Metro station! At The Lyceum, 201 S. Washington St., 22314. \$15 suggested donation; cash bar.



REMINDER: Unless otherwise noted, all FSGW concerts are pay-at-the-door, no advance ticket sales, no reservations needed.

There will be enough seats. For house concerts, you must RSVP in order to get the address, but for all other concerts, just come!

This is one way we keep our production costs and ticket prices low.

fsgw dances

FSGW SUNDAY NIGHT DANCES

AT THE SPANISH BALLROOM, GLEN ECHO PARK, MD

CONTRAS AND SQUARES • 7:30–10:30 PM

INTRODUCTORY LESSON EVERY SUNDAY • 7–7:30 PM

Join us for an evening of dancing at Glen Echo Park. Every Sunday, FSGW (in cooperation with the National Park Service, Montgomery County, and the Glen Echo Park Partnership for Arts and Culture) presents contras and squares danced to live music by fabulous bands with entertaining callers. Experienced and new dancers welcome; no partner needed. **Welcome/Orientation session every Sunday at 7. Come early for an introduction to the basic moves.** Dances often become more challenging as the evening progresses. FSGW allows callers to choose role names with at least one gender-free dance each month. Bring water or a sports drink, and dress in layers. Smooth-soled shoes are kindest on your knees and ankles when turning. **\$13/\$10 for FSGW, BFMS, CDSS, and ATDS members/\$5 under 18 or with student ID. Info: dance@fsgw.org.**

November

- 3** Janine Smith calls with **The Gigmeisters**, with Alexander Mitchell (fiddle), Paul Oorts (mandolin), Ralph Gordon (bass), Dave Wiesler (piano) - *Ladies and Gents*.

- 10** Greg Frock calls with Chris Ousley.

- 17** Two Hot Mamas (Janine Smith, Susan Taylor) calls with the **Dead Sea Squirrels** - *Ladies and Gents*.

- 24** Will Mentor calls with **Pete's Posse**. Pete Sutherland (fiddle), Tristan Henderson (guitar), Oliver Scanlon (fiddle) - *Larks and Ravens*.



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Saturday nights listen to **Mary Cliff's Traditions** (Washington's longest-running radio show devoted to folk music) from 9 pm to midnight on WERA-FM Arlington (96.7 FM or streaming at wera.fm). FSGW congratulates **Mary Cliff** on her induction into the **Folk DJ Hall of Fame** at the 2018 **Folk Alliance Conference** in Kansas City.



And tune in to **WOULD-LP Takoma Park** (94.3 FM or streaming at takomaradio.org); many shows of interest to blues, folk, reggae, and other traditional music enthusiasts. Full schedule/show descriptions at takomaradio.org.



FSGW English Country Dances

Glen Echo, MD • Wednesdays • 8–10:30 pm

Dance on a wood floor in the climate-controlled community room of the Glen Echo Town Hall. Bring clean, nonscuffing shoes for dancing. Cheerful, patient, talented callers are accompanied by top-notch musicians—every Wednesday a different and delightful mix of instruments, including piano, fiddle, flute, oboe, concertina, bassoon, cello, viola, and recorder. Light refreshments served at the break. Experienced and new dancers welcome. No partner required. \$14/\$12 members (FSGW, BFMS, CDSS, ATDS)/\$7 students and those with limited income. **Info:** English@fsgw.org. Please consider adding a donation of any amount to support students and those with limited income, and to increase payments for performers.

November



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Melissa Running calls to the music of **David Knight** (fiddle), **Ralph Gordon** (cello), and **Liz Donaldson** (piano)

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Kappy Laning calls the dances while **Elisabeth Epstein** (flute), **Tina Chancey** (fiddle), and **Melissa Running** (piano) play.



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Andrea Nettleton calls the dances while **Becky Ross** (fiddle), **Susan Brandt** (flute), and **Janina O'Brian** (piano) make the music



FSGW FAMILY DANCE GLEN ECHO, MD

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 10 • 3-5 PM



Caller **Greg Frock**, music by **Chris Ousley**. The FSGW Family Dance (at the Glen Echo Park Spanish Ballroom Annex) allows kids and adults to experience the joy of dance. Bring your entire family, your neighbors, your church or synagogue group, your scout troop. No experience is necessary, just come out and dance. A patient and experienced family-dance leader will get everyone on the floor with a focus on HAVING FUN! While the target age is children ages 4-12, many babies have started dancing by bouncing along in a carrier. \$5 ages 4+. **Info:** dance@fsgw.org



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Stephanie Smith calls the dances to the playing of **Jeff Steinberg** (fiddle), **Tom Wright** (10-string mandolin), and **Francine Krasowska** (piano)



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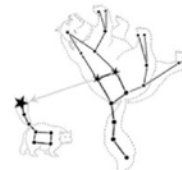
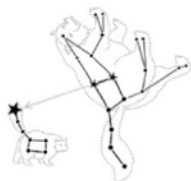


New Year's Eve Ball

December 31, 2019

Music by Polaris

Called by Steve Zakon-Anderson



Grand March begins at 8:00 pm. The dance will go until 12:15 am.

Woman's Club of Chevy Chase, 7931 Connecticut Ave, Chevy Chase, MD

More information & registration: fsgw.org/new-years-eve-contra-square-dance

\$45 for Current FSGW, ATDS, BFMS, & CDSS Members

\$50 for General Admission

\$55 at the door (acceptable payment @ the door - check & credit card)

Registration: Admission by registration, must be 18 or older

To register & pay on-line: fsgw.org/new-years-eve-contra-square-dance

Questions ? nye.contra.registrar@fswg.org

The Washington Balalaika Society Orchestra Concert

Svetlana Nikonova
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From Baikal to Brazil

featuring



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Saturday

Nov. 23, 8 pm

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Sunday

Nov. 24, 3 pm

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Arlington, Virginia

For tickets: www.balalaika.org

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FSGW Concerts continued

FSGW Co-Sponsored w/ Focous Music

Alexandria, VA



House of Hamill

with Lindsay and Dodds

Saturday, November 9 • 7 pm

House of Hamill is on the bleeding edge of a new generation of traditional musicians. Fiddlers and vocalists **Rose Baldino** and **Brian Buchanan** write unusual new fiddle tunes and exciting, unpredictable original songs

while breathing new life into traditional and contemporary songs. Having established themselves with two albums, *Wide Awake* (2016) and *March Through Storms* (2018), they found international acclaim when their quirky all-violin cover of "Sweet Child Of Mine" went viral in 2018, amassing over 15 million views and more than 400,000 shares on Facebook in just a few weeks. Accomplished local players **Chris Lindsay** and **Andrew Dodds** will open the evening. Part of the FocusMusic concert series. At St. Aidan's Episcopal Church, 8531 Riverside Rd, 22308. 7 pm. **Info and tickets:** FocusMusic.org/event-3485190 \$18 (advanced), \$20 (door). \$18 (advanced), \$20 (door).

FSGW Co-Sponsored w/ Focous Music

Alexandria, VA



Reverend Robert Jones, Sr.

with Michael Kelly

Sunday, November 17 • 7 pm

A lifelong Detroit, **Rev. Jones** has been performing professionally for nearly 30 years throughout the United States, Canada and Europe. He has entertained and educated audiences of all ages in schools, colleges, libraries, union halls, prisons, churches and civil rights organizations. His deep love for traditional African American and American music is shared in live performances that interweave timeless stories with original and traditional songs. He plays

guitar, harmonica, mandolin, banjo and fiddle using folk, blues, spirituals and other American Roots music to champion the history, beauty and power of our shared culture. **Michael Kelly** opens. Part of the FocusMusic concert series. At St. Aidan's Episcopal Church, 8531 Riverside Rd Alexandria 22308. 7 pm. **Info and tickets:** FocusMusic.org/event-3485190 \$18 (advanced), \$20 (door).

fsgw dances continued

FSGW CHALLENGE CONTRA • GLEN ECHO, MD

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 24 • 3-6 PM



Will Mentor calls to **Pete's Posse: Pete Sutherland** (fiddle), **Tristan Henderson** (guitar), **Oliver Scanlon** (fiddle). - Larks and Ravens. In the Spanish Ballroom. Enjoy an afternoon of mind-bending dances to challenge your brain (and your feet) with figures that you might not encounter on a typical Sunday evening – backward progressions, left hand chains, and other odd delights. There's an informal potluck to follow, so you can stay for the evening dance, with this same fine caller and band. \$13/\$10 for FSGW, BFMS, CDSS, and ATDS members/\$5 under 18 or with student ID. **Info:** dance@fsgw.org.



FSGW Sings and Storytelling

FSGW OPEN SING • SILVER SPRING, MD

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 1 • 7:30 PM

The monthly First Friday Open Sing is at Ingrid Gorman's just inside the Beltway. Topic: It's National Native American Heritage Month in November, so in that spirit, we'll have a theme of reverence and gratitude for earth, animals, each other, and food. Singers go around the room, giving everyone a chance to sing a song, play a tune, or pass. Most songs are presented from memory, but cheat sheets often appear. Everyone is welcome. The open sings have a loose topic to encourage us to learn new songs or put the polish back on some old ones. Don't worry if you can't think of a song on the topic--come join in the fun anyway! **Info:** ingridgorman@gmail.com, or 301-351-2451

FSGW GOSPEL SING • TAKOMA PARK MD

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 10 • 4 - 8 PM

Gospel Sings are held the second Sunday of every month at various homes. Group singing starts at 4 pm and breaks for a covered dish supper at 6 pm, with more group singing after supper until 8 pm. Everyone is welcome! This month's Gospel Sing will take place at the home of Kathie Mack in Takoma Park MD. **Info/directions:** email kpmack2@gmail.com or call 301-270-5367.

FSGW DOO-WOP SING • POTOMAC, MD

OCCASIONAL SATURDAYS • 6:30 PM

(Optional potluck, 5:30 pm). Remember those classic harmonies from the early days of rock—from groups like the Platters, the Clovers, and the Drifters? Not to mention the great girl groups such as the **Shirelles, the Angels, the Crystals, the Dixie Cups**, etc. Come join us as we sing those wonderful songs from that era, such as: "Under the Boardwalk," "Goodnight, Sweetheart"; "Goin' to the Chapel," and so many more. Lyrics are provided. At the home of Al Kehs and Lynne Blei. **Info/RSVP:** Ron Davies, 301-270-9365 or rondavies7@icloud.com

FSGW-COSPONSORED: CIRCLE OF LIFE SONG

CIRCLE • ROCKVILLE, MD

TUESDAYS, NOVEMBER 5 & 19 • 11 AM

Cosponsored by the Bender Jewish Community Center of Greater Washington and FSGW, this song circle will resume on November 5. At Bender Jewish Community Center of Greater Washington, 6125 Montrose Rd, 20852. **Info:** Frieda Enoch, fenoch@jccgw.org or Fred Stollnitz, fstollnitz@comcast.net.

FSGW-COSPONSORED: SCHWEINHAUT SONG

CIRCLE • SILVER SPRING, MD

THIRD WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 20 • 1 TO 3 PM

This song circle provides a daytime opportunity to enjoy great songs, old or new, humorous or serious, timeless or topical. The Song Circle, co-sponsored by FSGW and Carpe Diem Arts, is about the joy of group singing, not about talent. No need to read music; printed words are provided for songs that have been suggested in advance, and you may lead or request any song, whether or not we have printed words. Everyone is welcome, regardless of age or experience, including instrumental accompanists. **Wendy Lanxner** will be a song leader and guitar accompanist. Come when you can and leave when you must, but do come to sing or just to listen! Free! Margaret Schweinhaut Senior Center, 1000 Forest Glen Rd, 20901. **Info:** Fred Stollnitz, fstollnitz@comcast.net.

STORYTELLING

FSGW STORYSWAP • SPRINGFIELD, VA

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 16 • 7:30 PM

Storytellers and listeners are invited to the home of Jennifer Hine for an evening of shared tales and potluck snacks. Free. **Info:** Jennifer at jennifereps@gmail.com for RSVPs and directions.

FSGW CO-SPONSORED: THE GRAPEVINE

TAKOMA, DC

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 13 • 7:30 PM

The Grapevine Storytelling Series at Busboys and Poets in Takoma Park, with featured tellers **Bill Harley** and **Regi Carpenter**. Hosted by **Noa Baum, Renée Brachfeld**, and **Tim Livengood**, the Grapevine features storytelling in any style or tradition, true or fictional. \$15 donation or what you can afford. Dinner service during show. BB&P at 235 Carroll St NW, Washington, DC. **Info:** <https://www.facebook.com/GrapevineStorytelling/>.



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fsgw Co-sponsored dances

CARPE DIEM! CONTRA DANCE • SILVER SPRING, MD

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 14 • 7:30-10 PM • (FREE INTRO WORKSHOP 7-7:30 PM)



Ann Fallon calls with **Sugar Beat**. Come to the Great Hall in the Silver Spring Civic Building, One Veterans Plaza, 20910 and enjoy the Second Thursday Silver Spring Contra Dance, presented by Carpe Diem Arts in partnership with FSGW, Washington Revels and Takoma Radio; with additional support from Montgomery County Department of Recreation. Free parking in the Ellsworth garage. \$8 for FSGW/BFMS/CDSS/ Revels members. \$10 for non-members, \$5 for students, and free for first-timers. **Info:** Bob Mathis, talibob@starpower.net or BusyGraham@CarpeDiemArts.org, 301-466-0183



GLEN ECHO INTERNATIONAL FOLK DANCERS • BETHESDA, MD

THURSDAYS • 7:30-10:45 PM

Lesson at 7:30 pm, request dances from 9 to 10:45 pm. Mostly recorded music. No partner or experience necessary. A fun and welcoming group. Wear comfortable clothing and soft-soled shoes. Cosponsored by FSGW. At Church of the Redeemer, 6201 Dunrobbin Dr, 20816. \$7.

Info: Jamie, dancingplanet@erols.com, dancingplanetproductions.com/folkdance.htm.

GREENBELT INTERNATIONAL FOLK DANCING • GREENBELT, MD

FRIDAYS • 9:15-10:45 PM (INTRO: 8:30-9:15 PM)

We focus on dance from Eastern Europe and Scandinavia. No partner or experience necessary. Beautiful wood dance floor. Teaching from 8:30 to 9:15 pm, requests from 9:15 on. Greenbelt Community Center Dance Studio, 15 Crescent Rd, 20770. \$7/3.50 students and seniors/first-timers free. **Info:** Larry Weiner, 301-565-0539, larry@larryweiner.com, larryweiner.com/FridayDance.htm.

classes

SCOTTISH COUNTRY DANCE CLASS • BETHESDA, MD

MONDAY EVENINGS • 7:30 - 9:30 PM

Learn Scottish Country Dancing - Have fun while getting good exercise and challenging your brain! Classes at Building T-39 Aerobics Facility, National Institutes of Health, at Wisconsin Ave. & South Drive, \$5/class, membership available. **Info:** Michelle Fannon, 301-460-4751, Susan Keyes, 240-426-1899 Joan MacLeod, 301-622-5945 rscds-greaterdc.org

SCANDINAVIAN DANCE CLASSES • BETHESDA, MD

TUESDAYS, NOVEMBER 5, 12, 19 (NOT 26TH) • 7:30 PM

Beginning and advanced dancers welcome. Learn hambo, schottis, polskas, springars, and other Swedish and Norwegian couple turning dances, including requests. Wear smooth-soled shoes (leather soles are best) for turning, not running shoes. \$5. First time free. **Info:** Lynn Walker at 301-834-4020 (please leave a message for a return call), lisa@hambo.dance, or Hambodc.org.

THE NORDIC DANCERS OF WASHINGTON, DC

SILVER SPRING, MD

WEDNESDAYS • 7:30-10 PM

The Nordic Dancers preserve the traditions of community dance groups in Denmark, Finland, Iceland, Norway, and Sweden. Music by fiddler **Paul Carlson**, a professional musician and teacher widely recognized for his skill and enthusiasm for Scandinavian music. Highland View Elementary School, 9010 Providence Ave., 20901. No charge the first time; \$4.00 per session thereafter. **Info:** Chris Kalke, 301-864-1596, ckalke@verizon.net. <https://sites.google.com/site/nordicdancersdc/>

SET AND CEILI DANCE CLASSES • SILVER SPRING, MD

THURSDAYS • 7-9:30 PM

The Greater Washington Ceili Club (GWCC) holds weekly Irish set & ceili dance classes (adult & ages 12 & up) in a friendly, relaxed environment, year-round on Thursday evenings in Silver Spring. The fall season will run September 12 - December 19; 7-8 pm for new dancers/basics, 8-9:30 pm for advanced dances, the 8 pm class will include the Sidmouth and Old Mill Lancers Sets. No experience or

classes continued

partner needed; wear comfortable clothes and leather or smooth-soled shoes. In addition to weekly instruction, there is a monthly mini-ceili (instead of the advanced class) with live music & open to all, 11/21, 12/19 (a small donation is requested for musicians). Argyle Park Activities Bldg, 1030 Forest Glen Rd, 20901. \$50/season, register and pay at class, first class free. **Info:** Instructor P. O'Donnell, 301-649-6410, info@gwcc-online.org, or gwcc-online.org.

LEARN THE VIENNESE WALTZ • BETHESDA MD**SATURDAYS, NOVEMBER 9, 16 & 23 • 10 AM - 1 PM**

A series of three lessons in Viennese Waltzes danced in Vienna. No prior dance experience required. Individuals and couples welcome. Dancers will change partners frequently. Taught by Tanzmeister **Herbert** and **Carol Traxler**. \$85/for the series. The Ballroom, 5521 Landy Lane. **Info** & Registration: margaret.bocek@gmail.com, 540-882-4808 or www.viennesewaltz.org

BEGINNING BODHRAN WORKSHOP**W/SCOTT MORRISON • TAKOMA PARK, MD****SATURDAY NOVEMBER 9TH • 2-5 PM**

Learn the basics of bodhran (Irish drum) playing. Loaner bodhrans are available for pre-registrants. More experienced players also welcome. \$50. Advance registration required through hmtrad.com, **Info:** House of Musical Traditions at 301-270-9090

**BEGINNING DIDGERIDOO WORKSHOP
W/SCOTT MORRISON • TAKOMA PARK, MD****SATURDAY NOVEMBER 23RD • 2-5 PM**

Learn the basics of didgeridoo, including circular breathing. Loaner didges are available for pre-registrants. More experienced players also welcome. \$50. Advance registration required through hmtrad.com, **Info:** House of Musical Traditions at 301-270-9090

**STRUM FOR THE HOLIDAYS (UKULELE)****W/MAUREEN ANDARY • TAKOMA DC****SATURDAY DECEMBER 7TH • 1-2:30 PM**

Learn holiday tunes & arrangements. For uke players who already know 3-4 chords & basic strums. \$30. Held at private home in Takoma DC, close to House of Musical Traditions. Advance registration required through hmtrad.com, **Info:** House of Musical Traditions at 301-270-9090



LISA NULL is accepting a few new voice students: basic vocal techniques, coaching in traditional styles. Downtown Silver Spring. FREE mutual interview! enul@starpower.net or 301-587-2286

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OLD-TIME JAM DROP-IN CLASS • TAKOMA PARK, MD**EVERY THURSDAY • 7:30-8:30 PM**

Weekly drop-in class with **Noah Bowman** for adults who can play their instrument but need some guidance on what to do in an old-time jam. \$12/session. Advance registration required through hmtrad.com, **Info:** School of Musical Traditions at 240-690-1910

**JAMMING WITH OTHERS DROP-IN CLASS****ROCKVILLE, MD****EVERY THURSDAY • 8-9 PM**

Weekly drop-in class with **Justin Heath** at School of Musical Traditions in Rockville, MD. Learn how to follow a chord structure and play along to lyrics. All instrumentalists welcome. \$12/session. Advance registration required through hmtrad.com, **Info:** School of Musical Traditions at 240-690-1910

**BEGINNER UKULELE CLASS • ROCKVILLE, MD****THURSDAYS • 7-7:45 PM**

Adult beginner uke class with **Justin Heath** at School of Musical Traditions in Rockville, MD. 6 sessions; \$170. Advance registration required through hmtrad.com, **Info:** School of Musical Traditions at 240-690-1910

UKULELE CLASSES**W/MAUREEN ANDARY • TAKOMA, DC****SATURDAYS • 1 PM**

Beginner 1 (for new beginners, adults & kids age 10+; 1-2pm) and Beginner 2 (strumming techniques for those who know a few chords; 2-3pm). 6 sessions, \$159. Held at private home in Takoma DC. Advance registration required through hmtrad.com, **Info:** House of Musical Traditions at 301-270-9090

**UKULELE & TENOR GUITAR CLASSES****W/MARCY MARXER • SILVER SPRING, MD****Nov 12, 16, Dec 10.**

Intermediate/Advanced Ukulele (focusing on Hapa Haoie songs) at 7:30 pm. Tenor Banjo class (CGDA tuning) at 8:35 pm. 6 sessions, \$240 (or take both classes for \$450). Private home in Silver Spring, MD. Advance registration required through hmtrad.com, **Info:** House of Musical Traditions at 301-270-9090



Concerts

To receive a copy of Mary Cliff's suggestions about concerts, jams, open mics, etc., please visit her "Who's Where" page, <http://marycliff.net/whoswhere.php>.

Tuesdays



GENTICORUM • ROCKVILLE, MD TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 12 • 7:30PM

Over the past 18 years the trad Quebec group **Genticorum** has become a fixture on the international world, trad, folk and Celtic music circuit. Institute of Musical Traditions, Saint Mark Presbyterian Church 10701 Old Georgetown Rd, 20852 Tickets: \$20 adv, \$25 door, Children & Students w ID: \$15 adv, \$20 door, \$2 box office fee added to all advance purchases, advance ticketing ends at 1 pm day-of show. **Info:** imtfolk.org/ 301-960-3655



SMALL POTATOES • HERNDON, VA TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 19 • 7:15 PM (DOORS OPEN AT 6 PM)

They described themselves as eclectic-maniacs, and their music "Celtic to Cowboy". Amphora Diner Deluxe 1151 Elden St., 20170. \$11 (\$10 members) requested donation. **Info:** 703-435-2402, RestonHerndonFolkClub.com.

Thursday

CARPE DIEM! JUMP START WITH THE ARTS FAMILY FUN NIGHT OUT • SILVER SPRING, MD THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 7 • 5:45 & 6:45 (TWO 25-MINUTE SHOWS)

Featuring **Iya Bashea** and the **Kumba Kids** At El Golfo Restaurant, 8739 Flower Ave., Presented by Carpe Diem Arts, with sponsors Finn Family Group, Washington Revels, El Golfo, Takoma Radio. Tickets: children free; \$5 adults. **Info:** www.carpediemarts.org/family-fun-night/ 301-466-0183

Fridays

KEN & BRAD KOLODNER WITH ALEX LACQUEMENT CHAPTICO, MD

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 1 • 7:30 PM

Ken and Brad Kolodner with bassist **Alex Lacquement** bring their technically brilliant eclectic mix of Old Time music. Sponsored by Southern Maryland Traditional Music and Dance (SMTMD), will be held at Christ Church Parish Hall, 37497 Zach Fowler Rd, ZIP. Doors open at 7 pm. SMTMD members \$10; Non-members \$15. **Info:** SMTMD.org or KenandBrad.com

BILLY KEMP • ANNAPOLIS, MD FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 15 • 7:30 PM

Billy Kemp is a singer and songwriter with a friendly, engaging style. He accompanies his charming, rootsy songs with sweet guitar and banjo playing. A Baltimore native, he toured widely in the duo **Jeni & Billy**. At Annapolis Friends Meeting, 351 DuBois Rd, 21401. \$12, or \$10 for students, 65+, or members of ATDS, FSGW, or BFMS. **Info:** 333concerts.org, (443)-333-9613 or 333coffeehouse@gmail.com.

Saturdays

NICHOLAS EDWARD WILLIAMS • TAKOMA PARK, MD

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 2 • DOORS OPEN AT 7 PM

If Doc Watson, Mississippi John Hurt and John Prine had a lineage, you would find it in the bloodstream of 34 year-old international nomadic storyteller **Nicholas Edward Williams**. Suggested donation - \$20/door. Resident cat. **Info:** Stephanie Kaufman at kaufmans@gmail.com or 202-316-8776; nicholasedwardwilliams.com

JUBILEE VOICES AT BUTTON FARM • GERMANTOWN, MD

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 2 • 12-4 PM

The Washington Revels Jubilee Voices joins Button Farm Living History Center for a celebration of Maryland Emancipation Day, commemorating 155 years of freedom in Maryland. Enjoy a performance of traditional African American music from 2:30-3:30 pm. Perfect for all ages, plus family-friendly events throughout the day. Button Farm Living History Center, 16820 Black Rock Road, 20874. Free! **Info:** Ross Wixon; info@revelsdc.org or 301-587-3835; revelsdc.org/ensembles/jubilee-voices/.



YASMIN WILLIAMS/JESSE PALIDOFKY & SETH KIBEL • STERLING VA SATURDAY NOVEMBER 2 • 7:30-10 PM

Yasmin Williams is an acoustic fingerstyle guitarist with an unorthodox, modern style of playing. **Jesse Palidofsky**, appearing with **Seth Kibel**, has performed his original songs at the National Theatre, at the Washington Folk Festival and on the sloop Clearwater with **Pete Seeger**, and he has played blues piano at the Smithsonian National Folklife Festival and the Kennedy Center. Community Lutheran Church of Sterling, 21014 Whitfield Pl. 20165. \$20 door/\$18 adv (or FocusMusic members). **Info:** Jerry Bresee 571-471-3753 or www.FocusMusic.org

PETE'S POSSE • ARLINGTON VA

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 23RD • 8 PM

Vermont's own trad-roots power trio: **Pete Sutherland**, **Oliver Scanlon** and **Tristan Henderson**, **Pete's Posse** never fails to surprise and excite! Twin fiddles in tight, wild harmony over high-powered guitar and pounding foot percussion with mandolin, clawhammer banjo, jaw harp, rocking keyboards, and soaring vocal harmonies on a dynamic repertoire of folk-roots genres; songs and tunes, traditional and original. At the home of Joel and Michal. Please contact to RSVP or for more information, Tickets \$20. 703-351-6363. joel.michal@verizon.net



AL PETTEWAY & AMY WHITE • ROCKVILLE, MD 25 YEARS TOGETHER

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 23 • 7:30PM

Al & Amy have long been a favorite, with their eclectic repertoire that includes original, traditional, contemporary Celtic- and Appalachian-influenced music with occasional nods to Blues, New Age, and Jazz. Institute of Musical Traditions, Saint Mark Presbyterian Church 10701 Old Georgetown Rd, 20852 Tickets: \$20 adv, \$25 door, Children & Students w ID: \$15 adv, \$20 door, \$2 box office fee added to all advance purchases, advance ticketing ends at 1 pm day-of show. **Info:** imtfolk.org/ 301-960-3655

Concerts continued

D.C. LABOR CHORUS • WASHINGTON, DC

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 7 • 7:30 P.M.

The **D.C. Labor Chorus** is a collective of labor and community activists who love to sing for peace, social justice, and in solidarity with all working people. Every year, each member gets to choose a song for the Chorus to perform in a family-friendly holiday concert of "Favorite and Sacred Songs." Join us at Wesley United Methodist Church, 5312 Connecticut Ave. NW, 20015. Free! (Donations gratefully accepted.) **Info:** Facebook.com/DCLaborChorus.

Saturday & Sunday

THE WASHINGTON BALALAIKA SOCIETY

ORCHESTRA FALL CONCERT

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 23 • 8 PM • ROCKVILLE MD

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 24 • 3 PM • ARLINGTON, VA

"From Baikal to Brazil" featuring Musalliance (Anna Kusner, guitar, and Peter Omelchenko, domra) and Andrei Saveliev, balalaika. Saturday: F. Scott Fitzgerald Theatre, 603 Edmonston Dr, 20851, Sunday: Kenmore Theater, 202 South Carlin Springs Rd., 22204 Adults \$25; Seniors \$20; Students \$15; Children 12 and under free.

Info: balalaika.org/

Sundays



MEGHAN CARY • ROCKVILLE MD

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 24 • 7:30-10 PM

Critically-acclaimed artist **Meghan Cary** didn't mean to be a musician. But when her fiancé unexpectedly died, she picked up his guitar, figured out how to play it, and wrote her debut. Tikvat Israel Congregation, 2200 Baltimore Rd., 20851. \$20 door/\$18 adv (or FocusMusic members). **Info:** Mike Amster 301-957-0178 or FocusMusic.org



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dances

BLUES

BACK ROOM BLUES • GLEN ECHO, MD

THURSDAYS • 8:15–11:30 PM

Popular weekly blues dance. Sprung wood floor. Beginner lesson from 8:15 to 9 pm. Different DJs and instructors play blues from 9 to 11:30 pm. In the "Back Room" at the Spanish Ballroom, Glen Echo Park. **Info:** Donna Barker, 301-634-2231, CapitalBlues.org.

CONTRA

Wednesdays



BFMS CONTRA DANCE • BALTIMORE, MD

WEDNESDAYS • 8-10:30 PM

Beginners are always welcome. New dancer workshops at 7:30. Nationally known musicians and callers appear regularly. BFMS and FSGW members \$9, non-members \$13. Lovely Lane Church, 2200 St. Paul St, 21218. **Info:** bfms.org.

November

- 6 Ann Fallon calls to *Devine Comedy* - Steve Hickman (fiddle), Marty Taylor (concertina, pennywhistle), Brian Farrow (bass), and John Devine (guitar).
- 13 The Too Hot Mamas (Janine Smith and Susan Taylor) call to the *Dead Sea Squirrels*: Craig Edwards (fiddle), Cathy Mason (fiddle), and Henry Yoshimura (guitar).
- 20 TBA calls to the *Treble Makers* - Liz Donaldson (piano), Emily Aubrey (fiddle), and Robin Wilson (flute, concertina, sax).
- 27 TBA calls to TBA!

Fridays



FRIDAY NIGHT DANCERS • GLEN ECHO, MD

FRIDAYS • 8:30-11:30 PM

The Friday Night Dancers, a nonprofit, volunteer-based organization, in cooperation with the National Park Service, Montgomery County, and the Glen Echo Park Partnership for Arts and Culture, sponsors weekly contra dances to live music, usually in the historic Glen Echo Spanish Ballroom (SB) and occasionally in the Bumper Car Pavilion (BCP). At Glen Echo Park. \$10 per person; \$5 for 17 and under. (17 and under free on second Fridays.) **Info:** FridayNightDance.org or check the Friday Night Dance at Glen Echo Park Facebook page.

November

- 1 Tom Hinds calls to *Sugar Beat* with Elke Baker (fiddle), Marc Glickman (piano, bodhran), and Susan Brandt (flute)
- 8 Jack Mitchell calls to *The Glen Echo Open Band*
- 15 Janine Smith and Susan Taylor call to *Dead Sea Squirrels* with Cathy Mason (fiddle), Craig Edwards (fiddle, banjo, mandolin), and Henry Yoshimura (guitar)
- 22 Will Mentor calls to *Pete's Posse* with Pete Sutherland (fiddle, piano, banjo, melodica, vocals), Oliver Scanlon (fiddle, viola, mandolin, feet, vocals), and Tristan Henderson (guitar, mandolin, jaw harp, feet, vocals)
- 29 Maia McCormick calls to *Chimney Swift* with Cecile Leroy (cello), Daniel Raine (cittern, guitar), Zoe

Madonna (accordion), and Yaron Shragai (doubbek, whistle)

Saturdays

BALTIMORE CONTRA DANCE • BALTIMORE, MD

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 9 • 8 PM



Jack Mitchell calls to *Some Assembly*: Joe Klausner (Fiddle and Mandolin), Mary Flora (Flute and Sax), Donna Boylan (Piano and Accordion), Adam Lee (Guitar) & Patrick Herlihy (cajon and percussion). Bring a snack and bring a friend. **Info:** bfms.org or email satdance@bfms.org. This Dance is FREE and partially sponsored by Free Fall Baltimore. At the Church of the Nativity & Holy Comforter, 6112 York Rd, Baltimore, MD 21212

ANNAPOLIS CONTRA DANCE • ANNAPOLIS, MD

SATURDAY NOVEMBER 16 • 7-10 PM (INTRO LESSON AT 6:30)

Janine Smith and Susan Taylor call to *Dead Sea Squirrels*: Cathy Mason (fiddle), Craig Edwards (fiddle, banjo, button accordion, guitar, mandolin, vocals) and Henry Yoshimura (guitar). No experience or partner required. Snacks to share at the break are welcome. \$10 with discounts for seniors, students, families, ATDS members. Annapolis Friends Meeting Hall, 351 Dubois Road, Annapolis, MD 21401. **Info:** Jan Scopel, 443-540-0867, janscope@hotmail.com, or Charlotte Featherstone, 203-247-3964, charlotte.feathers@gmail.com; www.contradancers.com/atds

GALESVILLE COMMUNITY SQUARE DANCE

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 23 • 7 - 10 PM

Dance squares, circles, longway sets, and waltzes. Appalachian dance tunes by Leah Weiss (fiddle), Gary Wright (guitar). Figures called by Janine Smith. ALL ages welcome. NO partner or prior dance experience needed. 5:45pm: Doors open; 6pm optional potluck, 7 pm Family-friendly dancing until 10 pm. Galesville Memorial Hall, 952 Galesville Road, 20765 (Near Annapolis). \$10, Kids 5-17 \$5. **Info:** <http://communitysquaredance.wordpress.com/> 301-926-9142.

LANCASTER CONTRA DANCE • LANCASTER, PA

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 16 • 7-10 PM

(NEW DANCERS WORKSHOP • 6:15 PM)

Greg Frock calls to *Contranella* with Megan Beller (fiddle), John Wobus (piano), and Charley Beller (percussion). St. John's Episcopal Church, 321 W. Chestnut St. Lancaster, PA 17603. \$10 adults/\$6 students. Children 15 and under free. **Info:** Karen 717-951-4317 or www.lancastercontra.org.

FREDERICK CONTRA DANCE • FREDERICK, MD

FOURTH SATURDAYS • 8–11 PM

Kappy Laning will call to rockin' Irish tunes provided by *Rambling House* featuring Joe DeZarn (fiddle), Patrick Cavanagh (banjo and button accordion), Tina Eck (flute), Marc Glickman (piano). Trinity School, 6040 New Design Rd, 21703. \$10/\$5 students. **Info:** Boe Walker, 301-694-6794, contradancers.com



dances continued

SQUARE/CONTRA DANCE • SHEPHERDSTOWN, WV SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 2 • 8 PM

Bill Wellington calls contra dances and squares to the music of **Alexander Mitchell** (fiddle), **Henry Koretzky** (guitar, mandolin), and **Ralph Gordon** (bass). The Shepherdstown Contra dance is held at the War Memorial Building, 102 E. German St., Shepherdstown, WV 25443. All levels welcome, no partners needed. Please wear clean, soft-soled shoes to protect the floor. Pot-luck snacks at the break. Free introductory workshop at 7:30. \$12; SMAD members \$8; \$5 under 12. **Info:** John at 301-542-3272 or smad.us.

ENGLISH COUNTRY DANCE

Mondays

BFMS ENGLISH DANCE • BALTIMORE, MD MONDAYS • 8–10:30 PM



(NEW DANCER'S WORKSHOP AT 7:45)

English country dancing is lively movement to elegant music in a friendly, informal setting. All dances are taught and walked through. New dancer orientation first Mondays at 7:45 pm. Church of the Nativity and Holy Comforter, 6112 York Rd, 21212. <http://www.bfms.org/directionsToChurchoftheNativity.php>. \$13 for non-members; \$9 BFMS, ATDS, FSGW, CDS members; \$6 student non-members, \$4 student members. **Info:** Emily Aubrey, 410-433-4419, engdance@bfms.org

November

- 4 **FREE FALL BALTIMORE** dance – free admission to all (visit freefallbaltimore.org) **Emily Aubrey** calling to **Jeff Steinberg** (violin), **Marty Taylor** (recorders and concertina), and **Judy Meyers** (piano).
- 11 **Ann Fallon** calling to **Becky Ross** (violin), **Robin Wilson** (flute and concertina), and **Janina O'Brien** (piano)
- 18 **Sharon McKinley** calling to **Carl Friedman** (violin), **Steven Epstein** (winds), and **Rosetta Isnardi** (piano)
- 25 **April Blum** calling to **Elke Baker** (violin), **Dave Crandall** (winds), and **Jonathan Jensen** (piano etc)

Thursdays

CHALLENGING ENGLISH • ADELPHI, MD THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 21 • 7:30-9:30 PM

A monthly ECD series at Ballroom Blum. November 21, **Melissa Running** calls to music by **Janina O'Brien** (piano), **Elke Baker** (violin), and **Colleen Reed** (flute). Suggested donation \$8 per person/\$15 couple. **Info:** 301-422-0292 or jerryandapril@aol.com. 8300 Osage Ter, Adelphi MD 20783.

Saturdays

ENGLISH COUNTRY DANCE • ANNAPOLIS, MD SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 2 • 7-10 PM (INTRO LESSON: 6:30 PM)

Tom Hinds calls to **Roundabout: Mike Dunn** (fiddle), **Janet Muse** (piano) and **Kathy Boyer** (flute, pennywhistle, clarinet). No experience or partner required. Snacks to share at the break are welcome. \$10 with discounts for seniors, students, families, ATDS members. Annapolis Friends Meeting Hall, 351 Dubois Road, Annapolis, MD 21401. **Info:** Jan Scope, 443-540-0867, janscope@hotmail.com, or Ann Fallon, 410-268-0231, aefallon@verizon.net; www.contradancers.com/atds

ENGLISH COUNTRY DANCE • SILVER SPRING, MD SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 9 • 8–10:45 PM

Bob Farrall calls to music by **Peascods Gathering**. Beginners and singles welcome. \$5. **Info:** Carl Minkus, 301-493-6281, cminkus@verizon.net or Bob Farrall, 301-577-5018. Glen Haven Elementary School, 10900 Inwood Ave, 20902. (Parking and entrance in rear).

THE LEESBURG ASSEMBLY • HERNDON, VA SATURDAYS, NOVEMBER 9 • 6:30-9:30 PM

April Blum calls to music by **Chelle Fulk** and **Judy Meyers**. Please consider bringing a refreshment to share. **Info:** Laurel Bybell (Secretary) lbybell@gmail.com (703-791-5603) or theleesburgassembly.org The Leesburg Assembly • Herndon Senior Center, 873 Grace St., 20170.

INTERNATIONAL

Mondays

BETHESDA INTERNATIONAL FOLK DANCE BETHESDA, MD MONDAYS • 7:30–10 PM

Come join our friendly group and learn dances from all over the world. Beginners, 7:30–8 pm; Intermediate/Advanced, 8–10 pm (requests from 9:15–10 pm). No partner needed. All levels of experience welcome. Adults over 16. Mostly recorded music; wonderful wood floor. At Jane Lawton Community Ctr, 4301 Willow Ln, 20815. \$7. **Info:** Phyllis or Brandon Diamond, 301-871-8788, DiamondDanceCircle.com.

Thursdays

ALEXANDRIA FOLK DANCERS • ALEXANDRIA, VA THURSDAYS • 7:30–9:30 PM

Lovely group of folk dancers of all ages enjoys dances from Bulgaria, Romania, Albania, Greece, Israel, Armenia, Turkey, Croatia, Serbia, Macedonia, France and many other countries. Donation of \$5.00 suggested. Mount Vernon Unitarian Church, 1909 Windmill Lane, 22307. **Info:** Eileen Shropshire, eileenshropshire@gmail.com, phone 703-971-2341.

IRISH

Sundays

GWCC CEILI • BETHESDA, MD SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 24 • 3 - 8 PM

GWCC sponsors a lively ceili (Sept-May), usually on the 4th Sunday, with live music. Dance workshop at 3, this month the Claddagh Set, taught by Paul O'Donnell. Ceili 4-8, where the workshop dance and last month's workshop dance (the Rinkinstown Set) will be called. Music by **The Inn Mates Zan McLeod** (guitar), **Tina Eck** (flute), **Mitch Fanning** (fiddle), and **Jesse Winch** (percussion). Please bring a dish to share at the potluck dinner during the first break (note there are no facilities for heating food at this alternate location). Smooth-soled shoes recommended, single dancers and listeners welcome. Bethesda-Chevy Chase Rescue Squad, 5020 Battery Ln, 20814. \$15 Members, \$20 Non-members. Students half price. Ages 10 & under free. **Info:** 301-512-4480 or gwcc-online.org.

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Thursdays**GWCC MINI CEILI • SILVER SPRING, MD**
THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 21 • 8-9:30 PM

The Greater Washington Ceili Club holds a monthly mini ceili with live music and open to all on the 3rd Thursday (small donation requested for musicians). At Argyle Park Activities Bldg, 1030 Forest Glen Rd, 20901. **Info:** info@gwcc-online.org, gwcc-online.org.

ISRAELI**ISRAELI DANCING • CHEVY CHASE, MD**
TUESDAYS • 7-10:30 PM

Instruction from 7 to 7:45 pm. We focus on building a repertoire of both classic and newer Israeli dances in a friendly, welcoming atmosphere. Recorded music. Light refreshments served. Ohr Kodesh Congregation, 8300 Meadowbrook Ln, 20815. \$8/\$6 students. **Info:** Mike Fox, 240-424-0805 or markidmike.com.

SCANDINAVIAN**Saturdays****SCANDIA DC DANCE • GREENBELT, MD**
SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 16 • 7 - 10 PM

This month live music will feature **Sonia White**, a local treasure who has studied nyckelharpa with many of the top Swedish players and has completed the year long course at the Eric Sahlström Institute in Sweden and the Scandia DC Spelmannslag. No partners necessary. Teaching 7-8 **Linda Brooks** and **David Auty**: Orsa Polska - A favorite dance from the Dalarna region of Sweden, famous for its folk culture. Greenbelt Community Center Dance Studio (wood floor) at 15 Crescent Rd. 20770 \$10; **Info:** Linda Brooks 202-333-2826, Linda@ScandiaDC.org, or ScandiaDC.org. Inclement weather call 301-474-0646.

NORWEGIAN POTLUCK & DANCE • VARIOUS LOCATIONS
FIRST SATURDAYS • 8 PM

Norwegian-style house party, with a potluck at 6:30. Addictive dances, some with elements like Swing or Hambo. Beginners, singles/couples, watchers/listeners all welcome. Bring clean shoes to wear, food to share, and bucks you can spare. **Info:** MAND.fanitull.org or Jenny, pi@xecu.net, 301-371-4312.

Sundays**ACOUSTIC JAM • ANNAPOLIS, MD**
SUNDAYS • 9:30-11:45 AM

Back room at 49 West Coffeehouse, 49 West St, 21401, **Info:** richardaelliot773@gmail.com.

BLUEGRASS JAM • HERNDON, VA
1ST AND 3RD SUNDAYS • 1-4 PM

At the Schoolhouse, Frying Pan Park, 2709 W Ox Rd, 20171. **Info:** 703-437-9101.

SCOTTISH**SCOTTISH COUNTRY DANCE • GREENBELT MD**
TUESDAYS • 8 - 10 PM

Dance all year round at Greenbelt Community Center at 15 Crescent Rd. Greenbelt, 20770. **Info:** Richard Valentich 301-768-0287 or rvalentich180@gmail.com

SCOTTISH COUNTRY DANCE • ALEXANDRIA, VA
WEDNESDAYS • 7:30 PM – 9:45 PM

Learn and Practice Scottish Country Dancing! General Class/Dances held year-round in Durant Center, 1605 Cameron St., 22314; Drop-in \$8; **Info:** Anne Dempsey; Email: info@rscds-greaterdc.org

WALTZ AND COUPLES DANCES**Sundays****AFTERNOON WALTZ • GLEN ECHO, MD**
1ST AND 3RD SUNDAYS • 3:30-6 PM

Join us for an afternoon of waltzing, with an introductory lesson from 2:45-3:30. The band will play a lively mix of folk waltzes with other couples' dances, including hambo, swing, tango, and polka. No partner required. All welcome. Glen Echo Park, Spanish Ballroom, 20812. \$13/\$5 students with ID. Cash or check accepted. **Info:** WaltzTimeDances.org, 301-634-2222

November

- 3 Gigmasters** with **Alexander Mitchell** (fiddle), **Paul Oorts** (button accordion, mandolin, banjo, guitar), **David Wiesler** (piano), **Ralph Gordon** (bass)
- 17 Green Light Karma** with **David Knight** (fiddle), **Andrew Marcus** (accordion), **Dave Wiesler** (piano, guitar)

VIENNESE CHRISTMAS BALL • WASHINGTON DC
FRIDAY, DECEMBER 6 • 7 PM

Celebrate the Season at Washington's annual Viennese Christmas Ball. Champagne reception, Austrian savories and desserts, wines and coffee. Join in the Radetsky March, Austrian folk dances and the Fledermaus Quadrille. **Con Brio!** performs waltzes by Strauss, Lehar, Waldteufel and Tchaikovsky, and holiday melodies arranged for polka, fox trot, tango. Traditional opening ceremonies. Black Tie/White Tie and Decorations optional. \$150. Limited attendance. Reservations required, **Info:** Margaret Bocek, margaret.bocek@gmail.com 540-882-4808, viennesewaltz.org

Jams**BLUEGRASS OPEN JAM • BRUNSWICK, MD**
2ND AND 4TH SUNDAYS • 3-6 PM

Beginners welcome. Feel free to join the group and enjoy lively homegrown music the way it was meant to be. Great for listening, too. At Beans in the Belfry, 122 W Potomac St, 21716 **Info:** 301-834-7178.

BLUES JAM WITH THE DC BLUES SOCIETY
SILVER SPRING, MD
1ST SUNDAYS • 4-8 PM

Musicians of all levels are welcome. Bring family, friends, and your dancin' shoes for a fun-filled afternoon and evening. Affordable

Jams continued

cash bar, outside food permitted. At Cissel-Saxon American Legion Post 41, 905 Sligo Ave, 20910. Entrance on Fenton Street near public parking garage (free on Sundays). Free. **Info:** dcblues.org or 202-413-3609.

CABOMA JAM • ARLINGTON, VA 2ND AND 4TH SUNDAYS • 2-6 PM

Capital Area Bluegrass and Old-Time Music Association holds bimonthly jams. Unitarian Universalist Church of Arlington, 4444 Arlington Blvd, 22204. Slow Jam, 2-3 pm; Regular Jam continues until 6 pm. **Info:** Don, 703-522-1696, caboma.org.

EARLY COUNTRY AND GOSPEL JAM • TAKOMA PARK, MD 2ND SUNDAYS • 2-5 PM

The Sunday jam welcomes all to come have fun singing and playing early country and gospel music on their acoustic instruments. For complex songs, chord charts highly encouraged. Takoma Park VFW, 6420 Orchard Ave, 20912. **Info:** swopes123@gmail.com.

DC BLUEGRASS UNION • WASHINGTON, DC 1ST AND 3RD SUNDAYS • 11-2 PM

The Mansion, 2020 O St NW, 20036 (Dupont Circle Metro). **Info:** Facebook at DCBU Dupont Circle Bluegrass Jam, Jason Orfanon, jorfanon@gmail.com, or Malcolm Versel, mversel@aol.com.

OLD-TIME JAM • RICHMOND, VA SUNDAYS • 2-5 PM

Bluegrass/old-time stringed instruments only. Cary Street Café, 2631 West Cary St, 23220. **Info:** 804-353-7445.

OLD-TIME OPEN JAM • BRUNSWICK, MD 1ST AND 3RD SUNDAYS • 3-6 PM

Old-time Appalachian music – bring your fiddle, banjo, guitar, etc. Open to all. Organized by Old Time Frederick. At Beans in the Belfry, 122 W. Potomac St, 21716. **Info:** oldtimefrederick.org.

Mondays

DC BLUEGRASS UNION JAM • TAKOMA PARK, MD 1ST AND 3RD MONDAYS • 7-10 PM

At Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 350, 6420 Orchard Ave, 20912 (corner of Orchard and 4th, just a few blocks from the intersection of New Hampshire and Eastern). **Info:** VFW Post 350, 301-270-8008 or Barb Diederich, Barb@BarbDiederich.com.

TOUCHED BY SONG GOSPEL JAM • HERNDON, VA 3RD MONDAYS • 7:30-9 PM

Acoustic circle jam. Share favorite gospel, hymns, or praise songs or just play along. Open to all ages and skill levels. Floris United Methodist Church, 13600 Frying Pan Rd, 20171. **Info:** debbie@touchedbysongs.com or dcbu.org.

Tuesdays

OLD-TIME JAM • BALTIMORE, MD ALTERNATE TUESDAYS • 7-10:30 PM

Ken and Brad Kolodner lead the Baltimore Old-Time Jam at The Five and Dime Ale House, 901 West 36th St, 21211. **Info:** KenandBrad.com or Baltimore Old Time Jam Facebook page.

Wednesdays

BLUEGRASS MUSIC ALLIANCE JAM • MARTINSBURG, WV WEDNESDAYS • 6-9 PM

Musicians of all levels encouraged to come; bluegrass music fans are welcome to listen. At Martinsburg Moose Lodge, 201 Woodbury Ave, 25404. **Info:** bluegrassmusicalliance.org/local-area-jams/.

OLD-TIME JAM • TAKOMA PARK, MD 3RD WEDNESDAYS • 7:30-10:30 PM

Slow jam 7:30-8:30, followed by fast jam. All ages/skill levels welcome. Bring your guitars, fiddles, banjos, tubas, flutes, pennywhistles, flat feet, singing voices, and listening ears. Come early and grab dinner. At Takoma BevCo, 6917 Laurel Ave, 20912. Join the Facebook group (Takoma Park Old Time Jam) to stay in touch.

CAJUN JAM • TAKOMA PARK, MD 4TH WEDNESDAYS • 7-9:30 PM

For dancers, musicians, and listeners who enjoy Cajun music. Beginners welcome. At Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 350, 6420 Orchard Ave, 20912 (corner of Orchard and 4th, just a few blocks from the intersection of New Hampshire and Eastern). Free. **Info:** swopes123@aol.com.

Thursdays

OPEN BLUEGRASS JAM • BRUNSWICK, MD 1ST THURSDAYS • 6:30-9 PM

Hosted by Bobby Bales and Claude Jones. Bobby is a legendary lead guitarist in the *Grassy Ridge Band*. All are welcome to join in. At Beans in the Belfry, 122 W. Potomac St, 21716. **Info:** 301-834-7178.

Saturdays

ARCHIE EDWARDS BLUES HERITAGE • HYATTSVILLE, MD SATURDAYS • 1-5 PM

Acoustic instruments, all levels; listeners also welcome. At Archie Edwards Blues Heritage Foundation (Archie's Barbershop), 4502 Hamilton Street, 20781. Free, but donations welcome. **Info:** 301-396-3054, acousticblues.com.



open mics

Mondays

TEAVOLVE CAFE • BALTIMORE, MD

MONDAYS • 7 PM

Open Mic Showcases hosted by Rob Hinkal. Teavolve Cafe & Lounge, 1401 Aliceanna St, 21231. **Info:** Rob Hinkal, 410-522-1907 or facebook.com/teavolvecafe/.

Tuesdays

RESTON-HERNDON FOLK CLUB • HERNDON, VA

TUESDAYS • 7:15 PM (DOORS OPEN AT 6 PM)



Open mic. Amphora Diner Deluxe. 1151 Elden St, 20170. **Info:** 703-435-2402, RestonHerndonFolkClub.com.

GYPSY SALLY'S OPEN MIC • WASHINGTON, DC

MOST TUESDAYS • 8 PM

Upstairs in Vinyl Lounge at Gypsy Sally's. 3401 K St., NW 20007 Free. **Info:** <http://www.gypsypsallys.com/listing/open-mic/>

SONGWRITERS ASSOCIATION OF WASHINGTON

OPEN MIC • GREENBELT, MD

FIRST TUESDAYS • 7 PM

Hosted by **Lynn Hollyfield**. At 8 pm, a new featured artist performs, followed by more open mic 8:45–10 pm. Sign-ups at 6:30 pm. **Info:** Amethyst Dwver. 301-474-5642.

PATRIOT'S OPEN MIC * FAIRFAX, VA

TUESDAYS • 7:30-10 PM

Hosted by Nancy Triplett. Signups start at 7:00; music runs from 7:30 - 10:00. Patriot's Bar and Grill, 10560 Main Street, 22030. **Info:** NancyKatzTriplett@me.com or nancykatztriplett.com/Wednesdays

JV'S OPEN MIC • FALLS CHURCH, VA

MOST WEDNESDAYS • 8 PM

6666 Arlington Blvd 22042 **Info:** 703-241-9504, jvsrest@aol.com, jvsrestaurant.com

Thursdays

ACOUSTIC OPEN MIC • HYATTSVILLE, MD

1ST THURSDAYS • 7:30-10 PM

At Archie Edwards Blues Barbershop, 4502 Hamilton Street, 20781.. **Info:** acousticblues.com/events/events.html.



Participatory Performing Groups

Sundays

MASON DIXON BORDER MORRIS • FREDERICK, MD

SOME SUNDAYS • 12-2 PM

Possibly the oldest and most fictitious morris team in North America. Gender irrelevant, steampunk a plus. Practices usually twice a month. Location rotates between Frederick, Ellicott City, Columbia, and Adelphi, somewhat randomly; weather- and space-dependent. **Info:** blgraham_99@yahoo.com or facebook.com/masondixonbordermorriss.

Mondays

INDONESIAN EMBASSY GAMELAN ENSEMBLE

MONDAY AND THURSDAY EVENINGS

The Embassy of Indonesia offers a free program to learn and perform Javanese Gamelan music with an instructor from Indonesia, **Mr. Muryanto**. The Gamelan is an orchestra of gongs, gong-chimes, and xylophone-like instruments. Rehearsals are Monday and Thursday evenings. Come one or both days. No experience required. **Info:** Marc Hoffman, wildwoodflower@gmail.com, 202-271-2291.

ORFEA VOCAL ENSEMBLE • BETHESDA, MD

MONDAYS • 7-9 PM

Orfeia is an all-woman vocal ensemble, directed by singer, director and composer **Tatiana Sarbinska**, dedicated to preserving, performing, and teaching traditional music from Bulgaria and Eastern Europe. **Orfeia's** repertoire spans the rich and diverse

musical heritage of the Balkans, including Bulgaria, Macedonia, Serbia, Russia, and Greece. We usually rehearse in Bethesda. No familiarity with Eastern European music required. **Info:** Diane, 202-274-4155, orfeiaovocalensemble@gmail.com, orfeia.wordpress.com, facebook.com/orfeiamusic/.

Tuesdays

CAPITAL ACCORD CHORUS • SILVER SPRING MD

TUESDAYS • 7:30-10 PM

SING FOR THE HOLIDAYS with the **Capital Accord Chorus** – an all-women's *a cappella* group which sings in the barbershop style. Rehearsals begin on Tuesday, November 5, from 7:30–9 pm. We will have five rehearsals before our first SingOut at the US Botanical Gardens on Thursday, December 5. If you love to sing, join us on the risers. We meet at Schweinhaut Senior Center, 1000 Forest Glen Road, 20901. **Info:** (www.capitalaccord.org), sample our singing (<https://www.capitalaccord.org/sample-our-singing>) or call us at 301-392-SONG (7664).

MOSAIC HARMONY—INTERFAITH GOSPEL CHOIR OAKTON, VA

ALTERNATE TUESDAYS 7:30 - 9:30 PM

We welcome new singers! **Mosaic Harmony** is a diverse, inclusive choir presenting music of world harmony in the gospel tradition. Open to all. **David North**, Director. Rehearsals: Unitarian Universalist Congregation of Fairfax (UUCF) 2709 Hunter Mill Road, 22124. See us on Facebook for video of our performances. **Info:** Lisa Wysocki 703-356-0910 or email wysockiL@aol.com.

Participatory Performing Groups

Wednesdays

ROCK CREEK MORRIS WOMEN • SILVER SPRING, MD WEDNESDAYS • 7:30–9:30 PM

We welcome new dancers and musicians! Our practices are at Takoma Park Middle School, 7611 Piney Branch Road 20910 **Info:** rockcreekmorrismen@gmail.com or rockcreekmorrismen.weebly.com.

WASHINGTON BALALAIKA SOCIETY ORCHESTRA ARLINGTON, VA WEDNESDAYS • 7:30–9:30 PM

We are seeking people who play (or want to learn) balalaika, domra, or bayan/accordion or who play some orchestral wind and percussion instruments to perform the music of Russia, Ukraine, and Eastern Europe. At Faith Lutheran Church, 3313 Arlington Blvd, 22201. **Info:** balalaika.org, 703-549-0760.

Thursdays

CARPATIA FOLK DANCERS • WASHINGTON, DC THURSDAYS • 6:30–9 PM

Carpathia is Washington's multiethnic Eastern and Central European dance performance ensemble. We are currently looking for 3–4 new men and women who are interested in performing dances from a variety of countries including Ukraine, Poland, Romania, Germany, and Bulgaria. We rehearse in Foggy Bottom and have dancers from 16 years old to their mid-40s (we are open to any interested in fast-paced performance dance, age 14 and up). Costumes are provided by the ensemble. **Info:** carpathiadc@gmail.com, carpathiadc.org, facebook.com/carpathiadc.

FOGGY BOTTOM MORRIS MEN • TAKOMA, DC THURSDAYS • 8–10 PM

Join the **Foggy Bottom Morris Men**, DC's premier men's morris team! Learn and perform dances from the English Cotswold

and become a member of a vibrant, international community. No experience necessary. We practice at Knock on Wood Tap Studio, 6925 Willow Ave, Takoma Park. **Info:** Alan Peel, squire@fbmm.org, http://fb.com/foggybottom

MARYLAND YOUTH PIPE BAND • ROCKVILLE, MD THURSDAYS • 7–9 PM

Maryland Youth Pipe Band provides free lessons in piping and in tenor, bass, and snare drumming for students (typically ages 10–16). We perform in the greater DMV area and have a 58-year history of excellence. We practice at the Washington Rockville Elks Lodge 15, 5 Taft Ct, 10850. **Info:** Lisa Frazier, 301-946-0211, info@mypipeband.org

INDONESIAN EMBASSY GAMELAN ENSEMBLE MONDAY AND THURSDAY EVENINGS

See Monday's listing.

Fridays

GLEN ECHO OPEN BAND • GLEN ECHO, MD 2ND FRIDAYS • 8:30–11:30 PM

The fabulous *Glen Echo Open Band* plays for the second-Friday contra dance. All instruments and levels of ability welcome. Find recordings, tune book names, and page numbers of tunes played by the *Open Band* at **OpenBandOnline.com** (site works best using iTunes on a PC or Mac). Glen Echo Park. **Info:** FridayNightDance.org.

Saturdays

WASHINGTON'S SPELMANSLAG • KENSINGTON, MD 2ND AND 4TH SATURDAYS • 2:30–4:30 PM

Open rehearsals for a small orchestra playing traditional Swedish music. **Info:** JuliaBorland3250@gmail.com.

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Sundays

SACRED HARP SINGING • SANDY SPRING, MD SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 17 • 4–6 PM

Singing followed by a potluck supper. Location is a small schoolhouse behind the Community Building, 17801 Meetinghouse Rd, 20860 (about 10 miles west of Laurel). **Info:** Dave Greene, 301-570-3283 or dgreene@all-systems.com.

Mondays

BALKAN SINGING • TAKOMA PARK, MD MONDAYS • 8 PM

Informal singing group, *Sedenka*, meets to sing Balkan village songs. Interested novices welcome. **Info:** Katya, 301-270-4175, Katya@partan.com.



MONDAY SHAPE NOTE SINGING WASHINGTON, DC

MONDAYS NOVEMBER 4 & 11 • 7–9 PM

At the Dorothy Day Catholic Worker House, 503 Rock Creek Church Rd. NW, 20010. BOOKS: 1st Mondays: *Denson*; 2nd Mondays: *Denson* + *Cooper*. Loaners available. SOCIAL: Please bring a potluck snack to share! **Info:** Brenda Dunlap, 202-425-5264, dcshapenote.squarespace.com.

Tuesdays

DC SHAPE NOTE SINGING • WASHINGTON, DC TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 19 • 7–9:30 PM

We sing from both *Sacred Harp* and *Shenandoah Harmony*. Loaner books available and books for sale. Everyone welcome to bring snacks and friends. Capitol Hill Presbyterian Church, 201 4th St SE, 20003 (Enter side door, left of the main steps. Street parking possible; 10 minutes from Capitol South and Eastern Market Metros; 20 minutes from Union Station). **Info:** Brenda Dunlap, 202-425-5264, dcshapenote.squarespace.com.

Wednesdays**SEA CHANTEY OPEN PUB SING • BALTIMORE, MD**
WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 13 • 8-10 PM

The Ship's Company chanteymen host an open mic chanter sing on the second Wednesday of each month. Participation encouraged but not mandatory. Requests honored if possible. At Wharf Rat, 801 S Anne St. (Fells Point) Baltimore, MD 21231. **Info:** Myron Peterson, ructic@yahoo.com, ShipsCompany.org.

Thursdays**SEA CHANTEY OPEN PUB SING • CABIN JOHN, MD**
1ST THURSDAYS • 8-10 PM

The chanter sing formerly held at Paddy Barry's has moved to Lahinch Tavern on the first Thursday of each month. No cover or minimum; arrive early for a table. Participation encouraged but not mandatory. Requests honored if possible. Mostly a *cappella* but instruments welcome. Lahinch Tavern and Grill, 7747 Tuckerman Ln, 20854. **Info:** Myron Peterson, ructic@yahoo.com, ShipsCompany.org

FOLKSONG SING-IN • WHEATON, MD
3RD THURSDAYS • 8-10 PM

Join local musician **John Durant, Jr.**, every month for this musical gathering. Everyone gets a chance to lead the room in song. Bring your favorite folk tunes, your voice, and even your instruments for a great evening of song and pub-style fellowship. The Limerick Pub, 11301 Elkin St, 20902. **Info:** thelimerickpub.net.

**CARPE DIEM-REVELS COMMUNITY FAMILY SING**
TAKOMA DC

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 21, 6:30-8 PM
SOCIAL TIME 8-8:30 PM

Seekers Church, 276 Carroll St. NW DC (across from Takoma metro) Celebrating Songs of Grace and Gratitude for Thanksgiving and American Indian Heritage Month. Feel free to bring instruments, songs, and refreshments to share. Presented by Carpe Diem Arts and Washington Revels with in-kind media support from Takoma Radio. **Info:** BusyGraham@carpediemarts.org / 301-466-0183 or jrsi@revelsdc.org or www.carpediemarts.org/sing-with-us / www.revelsdc.org \$5-10 donation requested to help cover rent and guest song leader honoraria.

Saturdays**SHAPE NOTE SINGING • BOYCE, VA**
1ST SATURDAYS • 4-8 PM

All are welcome to sing from *Shenandoah Harmony* and *Sacred Harp*. Potluck dinner at 6 pm. Locations vary. **Info:** Kelly or John, jdelre@visuallink.com, 540-336-8112; Northern Shenandoah Valley Facebook page; or dcshapenote.squarespace.com/nsv/.

THE BEATLES SING ALONG • LEESBURG, VA
2ND SATURDAYS • 7-9:30 PM

Come sing and play along with the great music of *The Beatles*. **Lawrence Brand** leads the singing, which starts with singing an album. All levels of musicianship are welcome. Acoustic and electric guitars okay. Songbooks are provided. United Methodist Church, 107 W Market St, 20176 (Plenty of free parking). Free. **Info/RSVP:** Lawrence Brand, 301-639-7608, Lawrence@RLBrand.com, or meetup.com/The-Beatles-Sing-Along.

weekends**TERPSICHOE'S HOLIDAY • FREDERICK MD**
DECEMBER 27, 2019 3 PM • JANUARY 1, 2020 10 AM

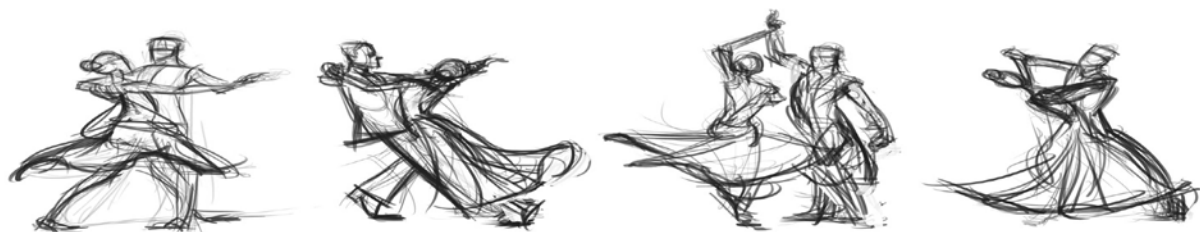
Intergenerational Music and Dance Camp at Claggett Retreat Center Adamstown MD 21710

Info: www.danceholiday.net

BAL DC • DUPONT CIRCLE, WASHINGTON, DC
SATURDAY-SUNDAY JANUARY 4-5, 2020

A weekend of French bal folk workshops, dancing, and jamming. Saturday and Sunday, 4-5 January 2020. The bal folk phenomenon sweeping dance camps and contra weekends across the East Coast comes to DC! **Bal DC** offers an entire weekend of dancing and music for dancers and musicians of all skill levels. Bal folk is a flourishing

tradition in Western Europe, combining engaging partner and group dances with beautiful, playful, and driving music. We're lucky to have **Nova** and **Eloise & Co.** as our star performers—acclaimed contra bands whose passion for bal folk has been kept a secret for too long. Renowned dance instructor **Jeremy Carter-Gordon** will lead our headline dance workshops. In our music workshops, musicians can learn bal folk tunes and techniques from our talent. Invaluable local performers include our very own **Lynn Baumeister** covering irregular waltzes and **Leslie Barr** teaching fiddle tunes from central France. Friendly to dancers of all ages (yes, including kids!), the building is accessible, in Dupont Circle just two blocks from the Metro. Don't miss this amazing experience! Pay what you can: \$80-\$215 full weekend ticket, à la carte pricing for Saturday evening concert and dance. **Info:** bal-dc.org.



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TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 5 • 8 PM

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